



AERIAL WORKHORSE—Acting Mayor Willys Blount is being helped aboard the Centaur Flying Workhorse plane which will soon go into production at Longren Aircraft Co., by Mrs. Christina Wentworth, whose husband, Hampden, president of the Torrancia firm, is behind the controls. Press Photo

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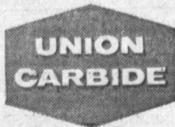
"Safety has top priority here at CARBIDE," Area Foreman Al Hundley says to Operator George Turgeon. "A lot of little things add up to a safe plant—like making sure this grating is back in place securely."

The men and women at CARBIDE know that safety is more than a one- or two-man job. It calls for never-ending alertness from everyone.

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Longren Demonstrates New 'Flying Workhorse' Plane

The Centaur, an aerial workhorse, was demonstrated this week by Longren Aircraft Co. at its Torrancia plant.

Designed by the local firm, the plane can operate from exceptionally small and unimproved fields, and its wings can be folded back to allow transportation on trucks.

The high wing monoplane, powered by a Lycoming R-600, 300 horse power engine, is capable of carrying loads of 1800 pounds of cargo.

It has a seating capacity for four persons, but can accommodate as many as eight in bush or emergency operations.

Hampden Wentworth, president of the firm, said that plans are being made to place it into production in the Torrancia plant.

The 7 by 4 foot unobstructed loading door makes the Centaur the ideal aircraft for hauling bulky shipments, Wentworth pointed out.

Other uses for the "Flying Workhorse" include ambulance transportation, hauling two patients on full size stretchers in addition to pilot and attendant.

The plane can also be used for photographic work, to feed marooned livestock, for traffic work and in the fighting of forest fires, its designers claim.

Longren Aircraft spent nearly two years since CAA certification to test and improve the

PUC to Open Narbonne Ranch Water Rate Case

The California Public Utilities Commission announced today it has reopened an old rate case involving the Narbonne Ranch Water Company No. 2 in which the company was required to make substantial improvements to provide adequate service. The company serves about 1100 customers in the Lomita and Torrancia areas.

In December of 1953 the Commission authorized the company to increase its rates but at the same time ordered the improvements after several customers complained of the service, particularly low water pressure throughout the entire system.

The order reopening the proceeding, noted that the company "may not have made the improvements" required by the previous decision. Further hearing will be held to determine whether the decision should be "altered, or amended in any respect or whether additional orders" should be entered.

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Board Drops Saturday Classes

Saturday continuation school classes will be dropped, and students who formerly attended these classes will be allowed to attend adult school classes, the Torrancia Board of Education decided Tuesday night.

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Industry Goal Of \$15,000 for Chest Drive Set

A \$15,000 goal was set for the two Torrancia commerce and industry divisions of the Community Chest Campaign this fall, it was announced at the kick-off meeting last week.

Tom Tracy presiding at the luncheon, pointed out to the volunteers that they would have the task of approaching firm executives for firm gifts and in addition asking him to appoint an employee to act as chest chairman to handle solicitation of donations within all firms with from 10 to 149 employees. This campaign handled by the approximately 85 employee chest chairmen to be named in the Torrancia area, will kick-off throughout the Los Angeles area on October 20th.

Working with Wallace L. Haas, chairman of division A will be Henry Heinlein; Bruce Jones; Jerome Scharfman; John Foley; Frederick Green; Robert Phelps; John Lindley and James McMillan. Committeemen on the division headed by Doug Rigby will include: Daniel Ryan; Paul Lorranger; Edward Dalton; Donald Anderson; Avery Stewart; Roger Cotton; Sam Levy; Ralph S. Morris and Morris C. Still Jr.

Introduced at the meeting was Paul J. Cote' from the aircraft division of Rheem Manufacturing Corporation, Compton; who has been loaned by his firm to the Harbor Area Community Chest for the three months of the campaign.

Honor Father At Birthday Party

Daughters of William Speck, 1511 Acacia ave, and their husbands entertained Sunday at a family barbecue party to celebrate their father's birthday anniversary. The party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack C. Dean, 22034 Ladenee.

Attending were Mrs. Speck, Dr. and Mrs. Donald Hein, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kinnaman, Mr. and Mrs. William Kesselman, Mrs. Carl Dean, and five grandchildren.

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